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Re: Filing of File Wrapper Continuation Application

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Our File B208-629 CONT

Sir:

Enclosed is a request form for the filing of a File Wrapper Continuation Application of Hiroyuki Ogino, et al. for IMAGING APPARATUS, the parent application being Serial No. 08/440,328, filed on May 12, 1995. Our check for \$770 is enclosed in payment of the filing fee.

Claim has been made under 35 U.S.C. §119 for the benefit of the filing dates of the following Japanese Patent Application(s):

Hei 04-242077 filed 9/10/92

Hei 04-356252 filed 12/21/92

Hei 04-357632 filed 12/24/92

Hei 04-357634 filed 12/24/92

Certified copies of the above Japanese patent applications have been filed in prior application Serial No. 08/440,328.

Authorization is given for the charging of any further fee for effecting filing to our Deposit Account 18-1644.

Respectfully submitted,

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This is a Reduces continuation-in-part X continuation divisional application under 37 CFR 1.62 of prior application serial

number <u>08/440,328</u>, filed on <u>May 12, 1995</u> entitled, **IMAGING APPARATUS** 

by the following inventor(s).

S.N. 08/440,328 is a continuation of S.N. 08/116,329, filed 9/3/93 (abandoned).

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The above identified prior application in which no payment of the issue fee, abandonment of, or termination of proceedings has occurred, is hereby expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this new application. Please use all the contents of the prior application file wrapper, including the drawings, as the basic papers for the new application. (note: 37 CFR 1.60 may be used for applications where the prior application is not to be abandoned.)

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A preliminary amendment is enclosed.

The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as amended at 1 and 2 above.

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